

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

PATENT APPLICATION

In re PATENT APPLICATION of  
Inventor(s): MAEKAWA, et al.  
Appln. No.: 09

Group Art Unit: 1773  
Examiner.: KRUER, K.  
Atty. Dkt. PM 255979

Client Ref 555372

Filed: September 28, 1998  
Title: LAMINATED EXTRUDED RESIN SHEET

Date: December 13, 2000

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. ☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL:** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated November 20, 2000 of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claim(s) in this application or in this application and its parent application.
2. ☐ **BRIEF** on appeal in this application attached in triplicate (extendable up to 5 months).
3. ☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer- unextendable)
4. ☐ Reply Brief is attached in triplicate (due two months after Examiner's Answer - unextendable).
5. ☐ "Small entity" statement filed: ☐ herewith. ☐ previously.
6. ☐ Fee **NOT** required if/since paid in prior appeal in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences did not render a decision on the merits (35 USC 134).

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